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## IN THE AUGUSTED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Customer Number: 20277

Hideto HIDAKA

Confirmation Number: 1384

Application No.: 10/615,379

Group Art Unit: 2824

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Examiner: Nguyen, Van Thu T

For: THIN FILM MAGNETIC MEMORY DEVICE HAVING A HIGHLY INTEGRATED MEMORY ARRAY

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	7	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	5	0	\$200.00 =	\$000
		Multiple claims newly presented			\$0.00
Fee for exte			nsion of time		\$0.00
					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 23, 2004 and Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 10, 2004, reconsideration in light of the following remarks and amendment is respectfully solicited.